

Attorney's Docket No.: 16743-004001 / 12A-921112

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

You-Di Liao

Art Unit :

1656

Serial No.:

10/813,549

Examiner:

William W. Moore

Filed

: March 29, 2004

Confirmation No.:

4099

Notice of Allowance Date: June 8, 2006

Title

: REMOVAL OF N-TERMINAL METHIONINE FROM PROTEINS BY

ENGINEERED METHIONINE AMINOPEPTIDASE

MAIL STOP ISSUE FEE

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed June 8, 2006, enclosed are a completed issue fee transmittal form PTOL-85B and a check for \$1003 for the required issue fee and publication fee, including one (1) patent copy.

Please apply any additional charges or credits to our Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Ping F. Hv Reg. No. 44,164

Fish & Richardson P.C. 500 Arguello Street, Suite 500

Redwood City, California 94063

Telephone: (650) 839-5070 Facsimile: (650) 839-5071

50355966.doc

TERTIFIC	ATE OF A	AAII INIC DV	EXPRESS MAIL

Express Mail Label No. EV744619216US

July 7, 2006

Date of Deposit